

**IOWA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

To Iowa Highway Research Board  
Attention Regular and Alternate Members

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From Mark Dunn  
Office Research and Technology Bureau  
Subject Board Meeting on January 27, 2012

The January meeting of the Iowa Highway Research Board will be held on **Friday, January 27, 2012, starting at 9:00 a.m. in the East/West Materials Conference Rooms at the Iowa Department of Transportation, 800 Lincoln Way, Ames, Iowa.**

**AGENDA**

1. **Agenda review/modification**
2. **Minutes Approval from the December 8, 2011 meeting**
3. **FINAL REPORT TR-568 Modified Sheet Pile Abutments for Low Volume Bridges**, Dave White, Iowa State University/InTrans (\$365,912) (15 min)
4. **FINAL REPORT TR-621 Roadway Geosynthetic Reinforced Soil for Low Volume Bridge Abutments**, Dave White, Iowa State University/InTrans (\$81,500) (15 min)
5. **FINAL REPORT TR-609 Examination of Curing Criteria for Cold In-Place Recycling Phase III**, David Lee, University of Iowa (\$104,140) (15 min)
6. **Request for Matching Funds for Proposals to Minnesota Local Roads Research Board**, Brent Phares, Iowa State University/InTrans (15 min)
  - a) Development of Cost-Effective Timber Bridge Repair Techniques for Minnesota (\$299,582)
  - b) Development and Integration of Advanced Timber Bridge Inspection Techniques for NBIS (\$199,786)
7. **Second Round RFP Review and Discussion FY 11-12** (45 min)
  - a. IHRB-11-06, Evaluation of Epoxy Patching Materials for Concrete Pavement
  - b. IHRB-11-07, Methods for Removing Concrete Decks From Beam/Girder Bridges
  - c. IHRB-11-08, Update the Guidance Information Available for New County Engineers
  - d. IHRB-11-09, Development of Bridge Maintenance, Inspection, and Rating Manuals for Iowa
8. **New business**
9. **Adjourn**

**The next meeting of the Iowa Highway Research Board will be held on Friday, February 24, 2012, at 9:00 a.m. in the East/West Materials Conference Room at the Iowa DOT.**